



**FINAL AGENDA**  
**Fall 2009 BHSC and Affiliated Meetings – November 3-5, 2009**  
**NNSA North Las Vegas Office Complex**

*Registration is requested. Please send e-mail to Linda Youmans-McDonald at [linda.youmans-mcdonald@srs.gov](mailto:linda.youmans-mcdonald@srs.gov) and indicate if you are attending in person or participating remotely.*

All times are local (Pacific Standard or GMT-8). ABIH has approved 0.50 points for each half day of the BHSC meetings on November 4-5.. Sign-in sheets will be provided at the meeting and to registered remote participants. Telephone conferencing will be available for the Board and BHSC meetings, but not for the JOWOG meeting on Nov 3. To participate remotely by phone: +1-803-725-1403, passcode 2227011.

No security clearance is required for any of the BHSC meetings. The JOWOG meeting on November 3 will require a "Q" clearance.

Remote viewing of presentations available using GoToMeeting; the web link will be provided to those who have registered to participate remotely. A computer that can use ActiveX controls is required; personnel at DOE and DoD sites should check in advance to ensure the computer they plan to use will be compatible.

**Please report to the badge office (see map) 45 minutes early for the first session planned to attend. This will allow time for badge/access card issue.**

Tuesday, November 3

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| 0815-1115 | BHSC Board Meeting – Open to all interested<br>Location: Bldg. B-3, Room 234                   |
| 1230-1600 | US/UK Joint Working Group (JOWOG) 30-1-1 (focus: decon/D&D)<br>Location: Bldg. A-13, Room 5400 |

Wednesday, November 4 (Location: Bldg. B-3, Room 295)

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| 0800-0830 | Registration, Coffee  |
| 0830-0845 | Welcoming Remarks   |
| 0845-0945 | Updates on Laser Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 0845-0915: Mark Guillaume, Applied Spectra, Fremont, CA</li><li>• 0915-0945: Dr. J. P. Singh, Mississippi State University</li></ul>                       |
| 0945-1030 | Decon Blue Gel for decontamination of beryllium from surfaces<br>Roberto Mandanas, Cellular Bioengineering Inc.<br>Hector Rodriguez, Albany (OR) Research Center  |
| 1030-1045 | Break   |
| 1045-1215 | Roundtable #1: The BeLPT<br>Primer for Non-Medical Folk (Lisa Barker, National Jewish Health)<br>Occupational Medicine Perspective: Kathleen Noonan, RN, LLNL<br>Worker Perspective: Donny McIver, SRS<br>US Navy Perspective: John Bishop/David McMillan |
| 1215-1330 | LUNCH   |
| 1330-1400 | Follow-Up: LANL TA-41 Beryllium Incident – Gary Whitney, LANL   |
| 1400-1430 | White Papers  |
| 1430-1700 | Subcommittee Breakouts (exception: Meetings and Symposia, 1600-1700)<br>Locations: Bldg. B-3, Rooms 295, 278, 234   |



Thursday, November 5 (Location: Bldg. B-3, room 295)

- 0800-0830 Registration, Coffee
- 0830-1000 Roundtable #2: Implications of BeO Reference Material
  - Round Robin Results – Tom Oatts, Y-12
  - Method Standardization – Warren Hendricks, OSHA (remotely)
  - Issues for Sites Not Having BeO – Chad Hjorth/Kathleen Moore, SNL
  - Perspective on BePAT Path Forward – Mike Brisson, SRS
- 1000-1015 Break
- 1015-1115 Abstract Presentations
  - 1015-1035 Wounds in Be Areas – Dr. Nick Lewis, AWE
  - 1035-1055 A Model for Measurements of Lognormally Distributed Environmental Contaminants – Charles Davis, Envirostat
  - 1055-1115 Analysis of beryllium in autopsy tissues from nuclear weapon site worker – Maureen Bernard, SRS
- 1115-1140 DOE BAWR Improvement Initiative – Paul Wambach (remotely)
- 1140-1200 AWE Training Presentation (Quinn/Aldridge)
- 1200-1330 LUNCH
- 1330-1345 Brief Updates
  - 10 CFR 850 Revisions (Weitzman)
  - OSHA Rulemaking (Weitzman)
  - AIHA Updates (Brisson)
- 1345-1430 Subcommittee Reports
  - Risk Communication (Lisa Barker)
  - Research Needs (Mike McCawley)
  - Technical Standards/Practices/Measures (David Weitzman)
  - Medical/Epidemiological (Kathleen Noonan)
  - Meetings and Symposia (Linda Youmans-McDonald)
  - Sampling and Analysis (Amy Ekechukwu)
- 1430-1445 Break
- 1445-1515 Reports (Board, BHSC Operations, Membership, etc.)
- 1515-1545 Business Meeting
  - Revisions to Charter
  - Staggering of Terms
  - Revisions to By-Laws
- 1545-1600 Wrap-up
- 1600 Meeting closes